used on Navy recordings, transcriptions, or films not specially produced or authorized for radio or TV broadcast.

- (g) Disclaimers. A disclaimer is not necessary if a product is advertised on a program in which the Navy participates, but there must be no stated or implied endorsement of it by the Navy or by naval personnel appearing on the program.
- (h) Requests for courtesy prints of commercial television programs:
- (1) Requests will not be made directly to the producer or network concerned, but will be forwarded to the Chief of Information by the Navy requester.
- (2) These courtesy prints will be exhibited only under circumstances which cannot be construed as competitive with commercial ventures.

#### § 705.8 Motion pictures.

- (a) The rules and procedures given in the preceding for TV will also apply to cooperation with commercial motion picture producers.
- (b) The Navy assists in the production of commercial, privately financed, nontheatrical motion pictures of institutional or of educational value to the public. They Navy will not:
  - (1) Solicit their production.
- (2) Provide lists of subjects the Navy considers "desirable."
- (3) State that the Navy will use a commercially produced film.
  - (4) Imply endorsement of a product.
- (5) Permit the use of official Navy seals
- (c) Navy assistance to motion pictures and all other audio-visual products produced by Navy contractors will be subject to the same rules and procedures that apply to other non-government producers. Audio-visual products produced by Navy contractors, with or without Navy assistance, will be submitted to the Chief of Information via the appropriate Navy headquarters activity for coordination with the Assistant Secretary of Defense (Public Affairs) for clearance for public release. They will be accompained by five copies of the script and a statement from the producer that costs were paid from corporate (vice contract) funds.
- (d) When a commercial film which has been produced with Navy coopera-

tion is screened in a community, local commands can provide Navy exhibits for display in theater lobbies, coordinate displays of recruiting material, and arrange for personal appearances of Department of Defense and Department of the Navy military and civilian personnel, provided such cooperation is approved by the Chief of Information and the Assistant Secretary of Defense (Public Affairs).

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# § 705.9 Availability of motion pictures to external audiences.

- (a) Public access. Navy and Marine Corps general motion pictures and motion picture projects not previously cleared for public exhibition will require clearance by the Chief of Information or the Marine Corps Director of Information, as appropriate, prior to public viewing. Concurrent review of legal rights and instruments associated with the production will be carried out by Patent Counsel, Naval Air Systems Command (AIR-OOP). Cleared motion pictures may also be made available for free loan as determined by the individual services. In addition, cleared motion pictures may be provided for rent or sale through the National Audio-Visual Center, National Archives and Records Service (GSA), Washington, DC 20409.
- (b) Foreign military training. Motion pictures from the Navy inventory may be made available for foreign military training programs on approval by the Chief of Naval Operations. Classified motion pictures selected for such use will also require a security review by the Chief of Naval Operations.

## § 705.10 Still photography.

- (a) Policy and procedures on taking photos by the general public, given in §705.5 apply also to media representatives.
- (b) Basic policy and procedures for still photos are set forth in the Manual of Naval Photography, OPNAVINST 3150.6D.
- (c) Authority to forbid photography:
- (1) On Navy property, the officer in command may forbid the taking of photographs and may confiscate film,

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reviewing it if it is suspected that classified material has been photographed. In such cases, all unclassified photos will be returned promptly to the photographer.

- (2) Navy personnel have no authority to confiscate film off Navy property. If, as in an accident, classified equipment is exposed which cannot be removed or covered, Navy representatives will ask news media photographers not to photograph it and will inform them of 18 U.S.C. 793(e), 795, 797, which makes it a criminal offense to photograph classified material. Navy personnel will not use force if media photographers refuse to cooperate, but will instead seek the assistance of appropriate civil authorities and/or the photographer's superior in recovering film or photographs presumed to be of classified nature.
- (3) If media photographers are uncooperative in regard to protection of classified material, an account of the matter will be forwarded to the Chief of Information.
  - (d) Release of photographs:
- (1) Most unclassified photographs of interest to the public may be released to news media. However, the rights of individuals photographed and special constraints such as those described in section 0403 of the Public Affairs Regulations must be taken into consideration before a decision is made to release a photograph. In addition, photos which might be harmful to recruiting or otherwise not be in the Navy's best interests will not be used unless this failure to release them constitutes suppression of legitimate news.
- (2) Photographs of strictly local interest can be made available by the command to local media without being submitted to review by higher authority.
- (3) If a feature type photo released locally is considered of possible interest elsewhere, because of its human interest or artistic merit, a single print should be forwarded to the Chief of Information, together with a notation of the distribution made.
  - (4) Photographs of national interest:
- (i) "Spot news" photos may be released by a District Commandant or Fleet or Force Commander.

- (ii) If a photo has been released by a local command to national news media:
- (A) The original negative or transparency will be forwarded by the fastest available means to the Commanding Officer, Naval Photographic Center, Naval Station, Washington, DC 20390. Such forwarding will be in accordance with the Manual of Naval Photography, par. 0445, subparagraphs 3 and 4.
- (B) One print, a copy of the letter of transmittal, and the distribution list will be forwarded to the Chief of Information.
- (C) Navy units with a Unified Command will forward the photos through Unified Command channels.
- (D) All other commands will forward the photos to the Chief of Information who will effect coordination with the Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense (Public Affairs) and, if necessary, arrange for security review.
- (iii) Photography of research activities is normally considered to be of national interest.
- (iv) Still photographs of national news interest may be forwarded, unprocessed, for release by the Chief of Information by any command not subject to the authority of a Unified or Specified Commander. Such forwarding will be in accordance with paragraph 0445, subparagraph 3, of the Manual of Naval Photography. All available caption material will be forwarded with this unprocessed photography.

# § 705.11 Supplying photographs and services to other than Navy and Marine Corps.

- (a) To avoid competition with civilian photographic organizations, naval aircraft will not be used to take photographs for, nor will photographs or mosaic maps be provided to any individuals, corporations, or agencies other than departments or agencies of the federal government, without specific permission from the Chief of Naval Operations.
- (b) In the case of natural catastrophe, or other circumstances where prompt action is required, the senior officer present may authorize a departure from the preceding paragraph. In